

## FISHER'S CLASH WITH CHURCHILL SHAKES UP THE BRITISH CABINET

London Editor Writes of Inside  
Troubles Between Naval  
Chiefs

Deep-seated friction between Winston Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty, and Baron Fisher, first sea lord, is given as the reason for the recent sensational shakeup in the British cabinet.

J. L. Garvin, editor of the Pall Mall Gazette, writes of the shakeup and its significance as follows:

LONDON, Eng.—A political revolution has happened. Lord Fisher has resigned and has not only made impossible Mr. Churchill's retention at his present post, but has brought down the government.

The cabinet as it stood before has practically ceased to exist. A national ministry, such as we have urged for months and have foreseen to be inevitable, is about to be formed. For that purpose active negotiations are already afoot.

The crisis was brought about by sharp disagreement between Lord Fisher, admiral of the fleet, and Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, in regard to the naval policy to be pursued at the Dardanelles.

Asquith Remains as Premier.  
Mr. Asquith will remain as premier. Arthur J. Balfour is expected to be the first lord of the admiralty, Mr. Churchill secretary for India, Lord Crewe president of the council, Mr. Lloyd George, the new minister of war supplies; Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, and Mr. Austen Chamberlain, colonial secretary. Lord Reading should become lord chancellor; Sir John Simon, lord chief justice, and Mr. F. R. Smith attorney general. Lord Derby also undoubtedly will have a post.

Lords Haldane, Beauchamp and Lucas and also Lewis Harcourt and Augustine Birrell will retire from the cabinet.

We believe that the chief opposition leaders are already agreed upon entering the government. There are difficulties but they must be overcome quickly. We can have no interregnum at a time like this. We must stand together as a nation or lose the war. Before we enter into a frank discussion of men and measures in relation to this matter of supreme urgency, we must try to explain how the revolution came about.

For some weeks the political position has been more serious than the general public suspected or even some ministers realized. The drink muddle was followed by a penalty that scourged all moral weakness and opportunism in war. Meanwhile, there was a parallel difficulty, a state of dissension at the admiralty.

Churchill and Fisher Clash.  
Two positive and masterful personalities clashed—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, and Lord Fisher, first sea lord. They could not co-exist in the same department.

The nominal question on which the split came was the Dardanelles. The thing went deeper than that. There was a fundamental incompatibility. Tension was bound to show itself and was latent from the beginning.

Shrewd judges prophesied something of this kind would happen.

Before Lord Fisher returned, Mr. Churchill's mastery of the Admiralty and administration and his historic stroke of courage in mobilizing the fleet before the Germans could strike had rendered services which will be held in everlasting honor when the dust of this thankless hour has cleared away.

Mr. Churchill could not change his former way and begin to back down. It might have been better if he had taken another office when Lord Fisher returned.

Fisher Demands Supremacy.  
Lord Fisher is as ill-fitted as any man living to be content at such a moment as this with anything less than supremacy within the sphere of his professional functions.

Unfortunately, even Lord Fisher hesitated at the critical moment. He did not approve the original employment of the fleet alone in connection with the Dardanelles enterprise. He could have stopped it by putting his foot down. He did not put his foot down.

He was, therefore, involved in the common responsibility with the rest of the board of admiralty, but he wished more and more to be free from that responsibility and to make a fresh start altogether. With the handling of the fleet and with methods of the Admiralty administration the situation was such that a sailor by resigning had it in his power to dislodge a statesman.

Last week, when the first sea lord had a special audience with the King, and had suddenly on Saturday a long interview with the Prime Minister, all readers of signs wondered what was going to happen. Few, indeed, were prepared for what did happen.

Resigns and Goes Away.  
Lord Fisher resigned, pulled down his blinds and went to Scotland. Mr. Churchill's position as first lord became impossible, of course, but so did that of the government as a whole. This, for various reasons, not all of which can yet be told.

In the Dardanelles, as in the Antwerp affair, Mr. Churchill's responsibility is shared with other ministers, and if he were on his defense, which he is not, his case on both accounts would be exceedingly strong. But the issue goes far beyond that. The whole method and temper of the cabinet administration in war time is the real question at stake. It is evident that the government has ceased to enjoy a sufficient measure of national confidence, and that reconstruction on a broad, patriotic basis must be undertaken.

Lord Fisher's coup has furnished the occasion now for decisive questions by comparison with which all the rest, including the sensation of Lord Fisher's coup, is already ancient history.

To Consider New Cabinet.  
Mr. Asquith is the only possible prime minister. In his power of keeping together colleagues of contracting views and temperaments he has no rival. If Mr. Balfour becomes first lord of the admiralty, by far the best solution will have been found. Lord Fisher will welcome it. Mr. Churchill will welcome it. Mr. Balfour is silk and steel. As

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THE HUDSON TOWER

Led by representative women, one Ohio village has decided to treat the visiting motorist as an honored guest. Tourists who have become gun shy from encounters with village "constables" are expected to faint with surprise when they reach Hudson.

A rest room has been provided in the Ellsworth building, opposite the clock tower. Here any itinerant stranger may sit, lounge or write to his heart's content. Every convenience for the tourist's comfort is provided and the ladies of the Hudson Home Circle take turns in acting as hostesses.

Hudson is a particularly appropriate point for such an enterprise. It is located on a brick paved highway, 40 miles in extent, which stretches south from Cleveland, through Akron, to Barberton and is expected, eventually, to reach Columbus. Hundreds of vehicles daily pass over this route. Hudson, as a sort of halfway station, is a most convenient



MRS. RAY MILLER

stopping point for those who do not care to make the journey in a single run. Money to equip the rest room was secured by subscription and by a benefit concert. Among those active in the work were Mrs. F. F. King, Mrs. W. Corbushier, Mrs. Thomas Blackburn, Mrs. Arthur Bentel, Mrs. Marie Shields and Mrs. Ray Miller.



MRS. ARTHUR BENTEL

"It was easy to get the money," said Mrs. Miller, "as soon as the town caught the idea." Hudson has, for years, enjoyed a reputation as a town of ideals. It has been helped in this regard by a former resident, W. L. Ellsworth of New York, who has donated schools and public improvements liberally to his old neighbors.

## PORTLAND LINE PLAN IS AGAIN BROUGHT TO FORE

(Continued from page one)

"We have made no definite plans," said Mr. Stone, who came here from San Francisco to attend a conference with G. L. Blair, manager of the "Big Three" fleet, "but we have considered the advisability of providing some kind of winter service to the Hawaiian islands."

Plans Not Yet Definite.  
Our excursion from Los Angeles to Honolulu proved so successful last winter that we have been tempted to try a regular winter service. Of course, nothing definite has developed and it is not certain that it will.

Present conditions force Los Angeles residents who want to go to the Hawaiian islands to go to San Francisco. This not only requires an extra day's time in each direction, but costs about \$25 extra.

It is not anticipated, in the event the proposed service is established, that it will be maintained regularly. There will be sufficient business between Elavil and San Francisco through the spring, summer and early fall of each year to require the constant services of both the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, the passenger steamers now operating on this run.

At yesterday's conference between Mr. Stone and Mr. Blair, arrangements were made for interchanging both freight and passenger business between the two lines at San Francisco. The "Big Three" fleet, consisting of the steamers Bear, Beaver, and Rose City, operates south from San Francisco to San Pedro. The Great Northern and Northern Pacific go no farther south than San Francisco. Passengers now will be able to travel between Portland (Elavil) and San Francisco on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific, and between San Francisco and San Pedro on the Big Three vessels.

Water Traffic Growing.  
Mr. Stone also contemplates ultimately putting into effect an intermediate passenger rate of \$17.50 for the one-way trip between Portland and San Francisco. The present first-class rate is \$20 and the second-class rate is \$15.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.  
Edwin L. Stunt, Honolulu ..... 52  
Mrs. E. P. Panef, Honolulu ..... 39  
Felipa Cabal, Ewa ..... 25  
Amis Lasola, Ewa ..... 23  
Geo. E. Fisher, Honolulu ..... 27  
Miss Minnie F. Schiele, Honolulu ..... 25

President Wilson appointed Samuel Iredell of Bridgeton, N. J., to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of New Jersey.

Governor Rye of Tennessee vetoed a bill abolishing the death penalty in that State as he believed that it would tend to increase mob violence.

## KOREAN, CHARGED WITH MURDER, IS GIVEN ATTORNEY

Pak Chi Ser, Alleged to Have  
Killed Wife May 24, Reserves  
Plea Until Next Wednesday

Judge W. J. Robinson was appointed by Circuit Judge Whitney today to defend Pak Chi Ser, a Korean indicted by the territorial grand jury on a charge of murder in the first degree.

The Korean was up for arraignment before Judge Ashford this morning. Plea was reserved until next Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in order to give counsel time to look into the facts of the case. Through a Korean interpreter Pak told the court that he had no money with which to secure a lawyer and that he had no friends who could furnish him with the money.

Pak is charged with having killed his wife, a pretty Korean named Kim Chung Hee, in Liliha street the evening of May 24. According to the record the woman, who was in the employ of Police Officer Charles Apana, was walking home from a motion picture show accompanied by several members of the Apana family. She was attacked by Pak, who fired a bullet into her breast. Then the Korean drew a knife and stabbed her several times. She died of the wounds.

Interest in the coming special election, July 6, for the election of delegates to the convention, which will be held in this city in September for the drafting of a new municipal charter for Honolulu, is being fanned through the efforts of local organizations and business men to secure good candidates.

As a result, C. H. Brown, a member of the legislature and a strong advocate of the bill calling for the charter convention, has taken out a petition blank and announced his candidacy. John Mason Young, Eddie Hanapi and William Thompson are others who have taken out the blanks to be filed. Signatures of only 10 citizens are required on each petition. There is no nomination fee.

Delegates will serve without pay during the 60 days that the convention may last and for that reason delegates will be men who serve for the good of the city and not for compensation or personal gain.

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ASSETS.	
Bonds and Stocks, Market Value	\$2,738,241.45
Loans on Mortgages	487,625.00
Collateral Loans	115,000.00
Real Estate	30,654.00
Cash	176,392.56
Premiums in Course of Collection	525,578.99
Due from other Companies	75,308.38
Accrued Interest	46,643.23
Total Assets	\$4,195,444.01
LIABILITIES.	
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	2,479,502.43
Reserve for Losses	292,636.66
Reserve for Taxes and other Liabilities	159,974.69
Surplus	263,340.23
Total Liabilities	\$4,195,444.01

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A committee of Americans consulted in Wheeling, W. Va., of the United Mine Workers ratified the wage scale agreed on by miners and mine operators at the recent joint meeting in Cleveland.

Five persons were burned to death, and two seriously injured in a fire that destroyed a tenement house in Pittsburg.

Employing 1,800 men who work in eight-hour shift, the Du Pont Powder mills at Hasen, N. J., are running 24 hours a day.

Fire almost wiped out the town of Pleasantville, Ky., at a loss of \$100,000.



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## Honolulu Could Issue 10 Per Cent City Hall Debentures For \$60,000 and Break Even

Amateur mathematicians present figures to show that the city can construct a new \$60,000 municipal building without any actual cost to taxpayers. At present the city is paying \$240 a month rent for the offices in the McIntyre building and \$244 for the Kapolani building offices, according to the city's auditor's records, or a total of \$484 monthly, or \$5808 annual rent.

In other words, the city practically pays ten per cent of the cost of a municipal building every year for rent. In addition the city pays for maintenance. The city is one of the few tenants of Honolulu office buildings paying for janitor service.

It had been proposed that the projected bond issue of \$60,000 for the new building be placed on the ballot at the coming special election for charter convention delegates July 6, but this has been abandoned owing to the law which makes it compulsory for the city clerk to issue a proclamation 40 days before the election.

The latest plan is to call a special bond election in August, with two issues before the people. One of these would be the \$60,000 issue for the city hall building, and the other a proposed bond issue, the amount to be decided later, for drilling artesian wells in the high elevations in conformance with Former City Engineer Wall's plan.

Supervisor Logan believes the territory will provide a site for the city hall free of cost to the municipality, with others urging the "goré" site at Richards and King streets or the Allen site at King and Alakea streets for the city hall site. Nearly all, however, agree with Governor Pinkham's civic center idea, as to the location of the proposed structure.

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